

be positioned the widths of the stiles of the ladder;

c. a first transversely extending member attached to said bottom surfaces of said side members adjacent a first end thereof;

d. a second transversely extending member attached to said top surfaces of said side members and spaced longitudinally from said first transversely extending member to permit the depth of a stile to be received therebetween such that the sides of the step and platform may be positioned above a rung of the ladder in a first extending position; and,

e. the length of said first and second transversely extending members being determined to have the ends thereof extend laterally outwardly from the outer side surfaces thereof to abut with the widths of said stiles whereby, in the first extending position said first and second extending members will have one surface thereof in abutting position with the front and back widths of the ladder with the sides thereof resting upon a rung of the ladder and in a second, stile aligned position, will have a second surface of said first and second transversely extending members in abutting position with the front and back widths of the ladder with the sides thereof positioned in aligned relation with the stiles of the ladder with a first end of the sides resting upon a rung of the ladder.

10. The step and platform for use with a ladder as set forth in Claim 9 and means for releasably locking the second end of the step to a next adjacent rung of the ladder to hold the step and platform in alignment with the stiles of the ladder.

11. The step and platform for use with a ladder as set forth in Claim 10 wherein said means for